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IN RE APPLICATION OF:

BENJAMIN P. REESE

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GROUP ART UNIT: 3636

EXAMINER: Rodney B. WHITE

ATTY. REFERENCE: REES3001/WKP  
CONFIRMATION NO: 5927

COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a communication/amendment in the above-identified application.

Small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is claimed.  
 No additional fee is required.

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Total Claims	5	- 20 <sup>1</sup>	= 0 <sup>3</sup>	× \$ 9 =	× \$ 18 =
Independent Claims	1	- 3 <sup>2</sup>	= 0 <sup>3</sup>	× \$ 42 =	× \$ 84 =
<input type="checkbox"/> First Presentation of Proper Multiple Dependent Claim				+ \$140 =	+ \$280 =
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**

Honorable Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed June 17, 2004 (Paper No. 2) in the above application. Reconsideration of the application is requested in view of the amendments and the remarks that follow. All claim cancellations and/or amendments are made without prejudice or disclaimer.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Abstract** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 3 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 5 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.